

THE GREATEST BARGAINS
yet known to housekeepers.

Nevers - Old & Broad.

SHENANDOAH COUNTY.

Tramp Vandalism—Narrow Escape from a Horrible Death.

WOODSTOCK, VA., May 9.—(Special).—The County Court of this county will adjourn at its May term here on Monday. The racket is a large one, and the term will whisk about ten days.

This place and vicinity has been overrun with professional tramps for the last week. It is said that they are more numerous than ever before.

William B. Allen, one of the Commissioners in Chancery's of the Circuit Court of this county, has taken the first step toward rescuing a house to preach in the Methodist Episcopal Church, South. He has been instructed to preach monthly at New Hope,

will accompany them, uniformed similar to that of the veterans.

An application has been made for a license to erect and operate a large brick-manufacturing plant near Edinburg, this county, about four miles south of this place. The names of the interested parties are not yet given out.

"Aunt" Mitty Jackson, an aged colored woman of this place, had a narrow escape from a terrible death a few days ago. She was washing, and her clothing caught fire from the flames under the stove, but, fortunately, help was near at hand, and she was saved, having received only slight burns.

The mountains near this place are alive with bark-peeling camps, and a large amount of this marketable product is being peeled, and already a large quantity has been hauled to this point for shipment.

ROCK-PEELING MATTERS.

The chairman of the County Democratic Committee has issued a call for the Democrats to hold their district meetings on the 23d of May, at which time twenty-two delegates will be elected to the Democratic convention, which meets in Staunton.

The following members of the senior law class at the Washington and Lee University have been granted certificates to obtain license to practice as attorneys in

Mr. John J. Valentine, of San Francisco, president of the Wells, Fargo Company Express, and family have been visiting in the county for the past week. He is a cousin of Sculptor Edward Valentine. Mrs. Gibson, wife of Senator Gibson, of Maryland, and Mrs. James I. Welch, of Lexington, Ky., R. Prichard, Buena Vista, J. W. Gerow, Glasgow.

Mr. Thomas C. Prince, superintendent of the Valley Division of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, was in Lexington this week. It is rumored that the present schedule of trains on that road will be changed again, as the new schedule does not suit.

Locals from Lexington—Political—A Novel Society—Briefs.
LEXINGTON, VA., May 5.—(Special).—The building on the corner of Main and Nelson streets, known as the "Futweiler